RECEIVED **CENTRAL FAX CENTER**

NOV 1 4 2006 PTO/SB/22 (12-04)
Approved for use through 07/31/2008. OMS 0861-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARMENT OF COMMERCE Under the paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless if displays a valid OMB control number.

PETITION	FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 3	Docket Number (Optional)		
	FY 2008	82410.0067 / 0B-045000US		
(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)			Filed Contember 22	2002
Application Number 10/868,876			Filed September 22, 2003	
	eter Having Electrodes With An Arbitra			
Art Unit 3766			Examiner Eric D. Bertram	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.138(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.				
The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):				
		Eco	Small Entity Fee	
	One month (37 CFR 1.17(s)(1))	\$120	\$60	s <u>120.00</u>
	Two months (37 CFR 1 17(a)(2))	\$450	\$225	S
	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1020	\$510	\$
	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1590	\$795	\$
	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2160	\$1080	\$
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.				
A check in the amount of the fee-is enclosed.				
Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.				
The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.				
The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-1129 I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.				
WARNING: information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form.				
Provide cradit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.				
I am the applicant/inventor.				
l-ad ''				
assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).				
attorney or agent of record. Registration Number				
attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting onder 37 CFR 1.34. 43,090				
Signature			November 14, 2006	
, , ,				
Robert J. Schaffel Typed or printed name			(202) 719-7423 Telephone Number	
NOTE. Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the emire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.				
Total of forms are submitted.				

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.136(a). The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 6 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application from to the USPTO. Time will very depending upon the individual case. Any confinents on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief information Officer U.S. Patent and Tradament Office U.S. Department of Commercial P.O. Box 1480, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SCHO FUES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS AUDRESS. BEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1480, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.